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Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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Re: *Review of the Section 251 Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers*,
CC Docket No. 01-338; *Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the*
Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98; and *Deployment of Wireline*
Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications Capability, CC Docket No. 98-147

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 30, 2002, I met with Chairman Michael Powell to discuss the ex parte letter dated, December 17, 2002, that was submitted in the above-referenced proceedings.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (212) 395-1689.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "WP Barr".

William P. Barr

cc: Chairman Michael Powell
Christopher Libertelli